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Mrs. Lee

**Seen,  
Heard  
and Told**  
By The Editor

If this is an unusually good issue of the Grenada County Gut, credit should be given the old lady and while Mr. Lee for the old man is luxuriating at the Veterans' Hospital in Memphis.

Nobody yet seems to know, but it appears likely that the county election commissioners of the several counties of Mississippi will constitute the draft boards in this state. If so, Ed Underwood, Hurd Horton and I will be the draft board, and, so far as I am concerned, that will be a job that I am not seeking tho, if named to the board, I will do the best I can.

Frankly, if the army would accept volunteers on a ONE YEAR basis, I believe the first draft would not be necessary.

Miss Louise Sanderson took advantage of our offer to send the GCW for the school term for a dollar. She is going to the Mess.

Aint they sweet.

Here Mr. Tol, a any got no 3088 pension yet, line up hear at the veterans his little m'ems' an line going 2 try 2 get a pension from uncle sam.

Be sure to carry your printing orders, some of them at least, to the GCW while I am gone, and keep on when I get back.

Suggestion to WGRM: please play something soft and soothing for My Man Huch and Rayburn.

I am indebted to Bake Hamsley for the use of a portable typewriter, which I took to Memphis with me. With a radio receiver hooked over my head, I am pecking off this stuff.

If I do not know how to spell a word, I can go to the library here, but the truth of the matter is I spell "at" it and let the proofreader spell it.

Until I left, there was no report of anyone being killed on 51 South, at Oberry or in any of Beat Five.

If ads in the GCW do nothing else, they make Dr. Clanton wear his teeth. You can hardly catch him these days without them.

If Sax Weir could run Bilbo's campaign from the Vets Hospital, I should, at least, help run the GCW from the same place. I have run into Sax's tracks in several places here.

Speaking of Bilboites, we should mention here and now that A. C. Simpson, alias Pete Simpson, has been placed in good standing on the books.

The authorities here put nuts in a certain part of the hospital: the squirrels bury them until winter.

There is a fellow here who ought to take Deuce Clark's name, for, in every set-back game, he holds low. He is worse about that than John Bradley is about holding aces.

Our esteemed and efficient district attorney who is not likely to stop at that post, recently spent some of his money for another year of the Grenada County news as interpreted by the GCW.

We are still betting on Britain. Britain loses many battles, but no wars, to use a trite saying.

One of Jim Keeton's sub-agents, from Calhoun City, is here. I forget his name.

His friends are doing a disservice to Mike Conner by encouraging him in political notions and ambitions. I am 100 per cent for Mike, but I hope he sticks to his present job for which he is ideally adapted, and let's politics alone. Until the people of Mississippi are born again or until they, like the children of Israel, get lost in the wilderness, they are not going to elect Mike Conner. They are not "lost" yet, or, at least, they do not know they are lost.

Lowrey must have paid off A. L. Hemphill, one of his new employees, for he (Hemphill, not Lowrey) paid his annual dues.

The licker-drinkers not only in but about Grenada are quarreling about the difficulty of getting licker. Odum dive bombs them in town, while Taylor Hayward blockades and blitzkriegs them outside town. No rest for the weary, no dram for the thirsty.

I have not seen any here quite as sweet as those at home.

Avent McElwath's overseer, Mr. Rayburn, was in town Friday.

George Terrell won a statue of Na- on a horse and gave it to his ree has so many gals. I do which gal he gave it to.

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# The Grenada County Weekly

VOLUME FOUR GRENADA, GRENADA COUNTY MISS. THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1940 NUMBER EIGHT

## Northern District Highway Patrol Office Put Here

The field headquarters of the Northern District of the State Highway Patrol have been opened in Grenada with offices in the Masonic Temple, and with Lieutenant Burns Tatum, a Grenada man, in command.

This district embraces the area of Mississippi North of Highway No. 82, and contains about 26 counties. Twenty-six men constitute the command under Lt. Tatum, four of whom will work directly out of Grenada and live in Grenada.

Sergeant Tom Hopkins, formerly of Concho County, will be in the office all the time.

This office will sell drivers license to those persons who are getting licenses for the first time. The sheriff's office will sell, repeat, or renew licenses.

The public is notified that an intensive drive will start at once to check up to see that each driver has proper license.

The patrolmen will also begin an intensive campaign looking to the proper observance of stop lights across State highways.

## Grenada Band And Boy Scouts At Football Game

In addition to the scheduled football game with Pontotoc at Proby Field, on Friday night, Sept. 20th the Grenada High School Band and the Boy Scouts of Grenada will participate in a program of patriotism. This patriotic ceremony will take place before the game, so all loyal band boosters and football fans are urged to come early and give these two splendid organizations enthusiastic support. The band and football teams heretofore have always given good good performances and both organizations promise the citizens who attend, one of the best performances ever given by Grenada High School students. The band has done much extra work recently in preparing for this game; they have purchased new music and have made splendid progress in preparing it. The beautiful majorettes have been added to the band since its last appearance and they will do their part in making this program a success.

They are Misses Martha Johnson and Verna Legett. The new drum major for the band is Mickey Angevine, who has been one of its outstanding twirlers for the past four years. Bertton Keeton.

## Farm Loan Conference Held At Greenwood Wednesday

W. E. Bendist, of Coffeeville, Miss., and E. F. Hall, of Coffeeville, Miss., directors of the Coffeeville National Farm Loan Association attended a two-day conference of Northwest Mississippi Association last Wednesday and Thursday in Greenwood. Also in attendance at the meeting were V. W. Purdy, secretary-treasurer and Miss Thelma Thompson, office assistant of the association.

J. P. Isbell, Deputy Land and Commissioner, Washington, D. C., addressed the meeting. He impressed upon the directors the importance of their responsibility as the policy making body of the national farm loan associations.

"In the hands of you directors in the field rests the full responsibility of the success of this farmer-operated credit system," Mr. Isbell said. "You have demonstrated in the past, both in good years and in bad ones that you can do the job. With your continued interest—and only with that interest—can this system continue to make progress and render service to farmers on land mortgage credit at low interest rates and on terms best suited to agriculture."

We stopped by to spend a dime or two with our former Grenada friend, Tom Neely, who has a nice place right along the highway at Batesville, and says he is doing all right in a business way.

Old Bake Hamsley, whom I saw at the Vets Hospital, is living a grand life. Eat, sleep, sleep, eat, in never-ending sequence.

Tomnie Rose had to set out several extra plates Sunday for his in-laws.

Here Mr. Tol, I guess the reegee they is turnin out so minny fellers from parchum is that theros a short crop to pick an they dont want to feed so minny this winter.

Miss Betty Sherwood, of Grenada, and her roommate, Miss Elizabeth Birdsong, of Birdsong, both graduates of 1940 class at MSCW, have their pictures in the September issue of the Illinois-Central Magazine. They are pictured in their caps and gowns.

## Legion Elects Officers for Home Guard Organization

Grenada Post 35 America Legion met in regular meeting and at this time organized the Grenada County Home Defense Guards to replace the National Guards that will shortly leave for 12 months training.

This is strictly a volunteer organization and similar organizations are being organized throughout the United States to be prepared for any emergency that may arise from the world crisis.

This organization will be subject to the call of the sheriff, the Governor and the U. S. Government in times of emergency.

We will recruit to full strength 188 men as rapidly as possible and mobilization will take place at an early date, after which we will return to our normal lives until or if an emergency should arise.

The American Legion has been asked to assist the Government in the duties of Home Defense and we are in turn asking the civilian population to volunteer with us in the defense of our homes and our country should the necessity arise. We will be allowed to accept 100 volunteers from civilians other than World War Veterans.

Any American citizen that wishes to volunteer with us in this defense organization, please contact any one of the following officers elected to this company by our post:

Post Commander: 1st Lieut. L. D. Boone and Knox Pierce; 2nd Lieut. Wm. Wright, Jim Keeton, Demar Kimbrough; Medical Officer, Dr. J. K. Arent; 1st Sgt. H. C. Wilson.

Further information on the plans will appear from time to time.

## \$9,200 In Building Permits Issued In Last Thirty Days

Over a thirty day period \$9,200.00 in building permits have been issued by City Marshal Willard Odum. The most expensive building, now under construction is the store building of Ralph Brocato, is valued at \$3500.00.

Other permits were: Mr. R. J. Stoker, a residence, on Fairfield, in West Ward, Ike Cohen, an extension, on Cherry, in West Ward. Canton Grocery Company an extension in East Ward, Green Street, L. L. Allison, a service station, in West Ward; F. T. Gerard, on Line Street, a residence. This home is located in East Ward.

## FRANK HOUSTON STILL IN MEMPHIS CLINIC

Mrs. S. A. Lacock returned home Saturday from Memphis where she has been for several weeks at the bedside of her brother, Mr. Frank Houston. Mr. Houston sustained a broken ankle, a broken jawbone and an injured arm which became infected in an auto accident which occurred on the country road between Grenada and his delta farm. Mr. Houston's many friends hope that he will be able to return home soon.

Even in peaceful Grenada, our points of strategic importance, bridges, power houses, etc. should be guarded more closely than ever.

Help keep America safe.

Somebody was exhibiting a 125-lb. gar fish in Grenada last week. He tried to get a picture of the monster, but the fish, as usual, got away.

## Notes Taken at Veterans' Hospital

I have been talking about coming up here for a long time, and here I am. So far everything looks good.

Ben Connerly, a Grenada County boy, and brother of Mrs. Van Brown, has been here so long that he seems like he owns half the place. Really, he is improving from a very serious burn, and there is no telling what would have happened to him if he had not had access to this hospital.

Old Bake Hamsley has become a regular boarder here, and showed me around and let me on to the ropes.

They are sweet here, but not as sweet as the sweet ones in Grenada. Ran into a fellow named Forbes from Dumas, Arkansaw, who is Orley Lilly's uncle. He asked to be remembered to Cousin Orley to Cousin Lillian and to the little Lillys.

Judging from the meals already eaten, a fellow would not starve here in a thousand years. If you do not get enough the first time, you can go back and get more.

So far everyone has been as nice as pie to me. That seems to be the rule here.

Believe this is one place that my fellow, Boss Crump, does not boss. Monday night was colored night at the free theatre. The colored patients (who occupy an entire floor and who are absolutely segregated from the white patients) on Monday night oc-

## Who's At The Hospital

BY AINT THEY SWEET

Following are patients now confined to the Grenada Hospital: Jack Cole, of Grenada; Mrs. W. A. Lott, Grenada; Sara Louise Price, Oakland; Mr. Knox Pierce, Grenada; Mr. Ward Alexander, Grenada; Mrs. J. M. Young, Grenada; Patsy Carolyn Norman (baby), Amory; Miss Mary L. Grantham, Valden; Mrs. R. L. Bingham, Grenada; Mrs. W. J. Shaw, Jackson, Miss.; Mrs. E. L. Frayser, Hickcomb; Jesse LeDuc, Leflore; Mrs. H. A. Brown, of Money; Mrs. J. E. Phillips, Grenada; Mrs. E. L. Long, Duck Hill; Mrs. Eva Hendley, Grenada; Miss Willie Lawrence, Holcomb; Mrs. W. R. Stewart, Eupora; Mrs. T. H. Clark, Haverhill; Mrs. Lewis Dunn, Carrollton; Mrs. A. J. Boggett, Collier; Mrs. Oude Hollingsworth, Enid; Mrs. J. D. Woods, Batesville.

Dismissed from Grenada Hospital since September 11th were: Willie L. Gray, of Casella; Jimmie Hutchinson, Heathman; Russell Tandy, Elise and Luella Woods, of Crowder; Mr. D. T. Parson, Elliott; Lester Tubbs, of Sobeby; Mr. Harry Sanders, Carrollton; Mr. B. M. Taylor, Carrollton; Mrs. J. H. Williams, Eupora; Miss Louise Harris, Pope; Mrs. Boyd Sellers, Carrollton; Mrs. W. M. Norman, Amory; Mrs. Fred Huzzard, Embury; Miss Georgie Newman, Enid; Mrs. Thomas Lyles, Batesville; Mrs. Louise Davis, Grenada; Mrs. Lula Hamrick, North Carrollton; and Miss Mary Ann Scott, Duck Hill.

## Grenada Plays Pontotoc Here Friday Night

The Grenada Bulldogs will open the season here Friday night with the Pontotoc eleven furnishing the opposition. The game will begin promptly at 7:30. The admission is 10 and 40 cents.

The Pontotoc gridlers are reputed to have a rather strong team—at least they are strong enough to give the Grenada boys a tough fight.

Grenada has a very hard schedule this year, so let's all come out and give the team the support that they rightfully deserve—whether they win, lose or draw.

## WALTER W. WHITAKER SUCCEEDS AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Mr. Walter W. Whitaker, of LaGrange, Tenn., died this morning (Thursday) at 7:30 o'clock. He is the brother of Mrs. W. E. Jackson and the cousin of Mr. Eli and H. C. Whitaker. Funeral services will be held Friday morning at 10 o'clock at the Methodist Church in LaGrange.

## SIXEN COME ELEVEN

And there is no crap about it. Since Monday of this week we have added eleven new subscribers to our list. During the same time seven were good enough to renew their subscription. Ask any dice shooter—he will tell you there is no crap about those two numbers.

## 22 Students Enrolled In Diversified Occupations

With the splendid cooperation of the business people, 22 students enrolled in the Diversified Occupations Class. This is one of the largest classes in the state, and one of the two new classes organized in the state this year.

The business people of Grenada are to be complimented for their wonderful cooperation with the school in providing training for these students.

The following is a list of the Training Agencies and Trainers:

Keeton's, Mary Ida Odum, clerk; Cook's Beauty Shop, Betty, Billie, beauty operator;

Morgan and Lindsay, Roger, Bill, assistant manager;

Jordan's Volunteer Store, Billy Baylock, clerk;

Jackson, the Printer, David, Chidress, printer;

Daily Star, Robert Foy, printer;

Trusky's, James Goodwin, clerk;

Biddy's Machine Shop, Tom Hardy, machinist;

Grenada Dry Goods Co., Billy Hampton, clerk;

Marrasdale, Chester, Paul, Tilly, Jr., clerk;

Plugsy Wiggly, Joanne Lee, King, clerk;

Grenada Theatre, David Hogg, operator;

Mayfield's Volunteer Store, T. D. McLeod, clerk;

Fred Griffin's, Rex Webb, mechanic;

Longberg's, Amanda Floyd, clerk;

Allen Cooperage Co., Verna Legett, secretary;

Kettle Repair Shop, Sidney Kettle, mechanic;

2nd Class Drug Store, Ralph Kizore, clerk;

Grenada Auto Co., George Vickers, mechanic;

Oliver-Lilly Motor Co., Jack Ward, mechanic;

High school, Marjorie James, secretary;

Valley Dept. Store, Vivian Thompson, secretary.

## Paul N. Gerard Buried Last Thursday at Cleveland

Grenada people were shocked to learn that Mr. Paul N. Gerard, formerly of Grenada, was killed in an automobile accident near Greenwood Thursday night, September 12, 1940. He was returning with two companions, both of whom were painfully injured, from a short visit with his brothers, Messrs. William and Frank Gerard in Wilona.

Mr. Gerard was the eldest son of Mrs. J. L. Gerard and the late Mr. E. L. Gerard of Grenada, and was born in Grenada on December 6, 1895. He was in Grenada and Mississippi State that he received his education and it was from here that he joined the Grenada Doughboys, Company 140th T. S. C. A. for two years service in World War No. 1. Mr. Gerard was corporal in that company afterwards sergeant. Upon his discharge from the U. S. Army, he shortly thereafter, he moved to Cleveland, and in that prospective birth city he has made an outstanding financial success, being interested in many power, lumber, and other ventures. In his adopted city he was highly regarded. We would like to mention his father, the late Mr. Ernest Gerard, was of Paul who, he said, had conducted himself and conducted his business that he could always "get by" for the people of the Delta and confidence in Paul's integrity, and in Paul's ability to get things done successfully.

In 1928 he and Miss Mary Catherine Child, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Child of Cairo, were married. Two sons, Paul, Jr., and Roy, were born to this union.

Many friends and relatives from Grenada attended the funeral ceremonies in Cleveland Friday afternoon, which were conducted by Rev. Bolding of the Presbyterian Church. Paul was a devotee of that church.

The following friends served as pallbearers were: three of his boyhood friends, James and Billy Barksdale and Bess Jones. The others were friends in Cleveland.

Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Paul N. Gerard, two small sons, Paul and Roy Gerard; his mother, Mrs. Alice Gerard of Grenada; three brothers, Louis Gerard of Boston, Frank and William Gerard of Wilona.

To the sorrowful ones, we extend our deepest sympathy.

## Mrs. Mary N. Allen Died At Duck Hill Last Thursday

(Mrs. M. S. Walker)  
Mrs. Mary Newsum Allen died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. A. Snively Thursday evening, September 12th at five minutes to eight o'clock. While close friends and loved ones watched she just went to sleep to be with Him she knew and loved. She would have been eighty-five years of age in January. A most useful life she had spent. Born and reared at Hobart, she joined the Baptist Church in her early childhood and lived a true Christian life. She was a real mother, a gracious gift of God and by her life she taught the Divine will of her Creator to her descendants. Her sweet face radiated the sunshine and happiness that she felt and the virtues she instilled in their hearts, a heritage each can be proud to possess. Besides rearing her own children, her mother heart reached out to some grand-children after death entered their home, one of them remaining with her until he was twenty-one years old. Her husband preceded her to the grave some twenty years ago. She came to Duck Hill about six years ago to live in a lovely little home her son-in-law, the late Mr. S. A. Snively built for her so she could have "her things all herself" as she joyously expressed it, but after her health got bad she moved in the house with her daughter nearby. She was loved by everyone that knew her.

Interment at the Duck Hill Cemetery after services conducted at the church by Dr. Thomas, pastor of the local Baptist Church.

Pallbearers: E. A. Moore, James Turner, R. A. Wood, John Caffey and E. B. Wray.

Besides her three daughters, Mrs. W. A. Wilson, Nacozoches, Tex.; Mrs. J. H. Ramey, Jackson; Mrs. S. A. Snively, Duck Hill, she is survived by one sister, Mrs. S. E. Smith, Maunilla, Miss., seven grandchildren and ten great grandchildren.

## SPECIAL SERVICES AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NEXT MONTH

We are delighted to announce a week of special services beginning on Monday evening, October 21st.

Rev. J. R. Cunningham, a former pastor of this church, now pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Winston-Salem, North Carolina, will preach twice daily. The hours for services will be announced later.

## PLUG IRBY NEW INSURANCE AGT.

"P. S. Plug" Irby is now the Grenada Agent for The Westchester Fire Insurance Co. of New York; The National Liberty Insurance Co. of New York; and The American Home Fire Assurance Co. of New York.

His office is located in the Dock Building, next to the Grenada Theatre. If you are afraid that something you own is going to catch fire, see "Plug".

## GORE SPRINGS 4-H CLUB

The Gore Springs 4-H Club met with Mrs. Neely Thursday, Sept. 12, 1940. We elected officers for 1940-41. They are:

President, Dorothy Tucker; vice president, Annie Lou Parks; secretary, treasurer, Mattie Laura Morman.

There was a state 4-H leader with Mrs. Neely who made a very interesting talk on the value of 4-H Club work.

What with the impending draft, college attendance is due for a sharp drop.



## TO PAINTERS and CONTRACTORS:

You are invited to submit open bids to the Board of Supervisors of Grenada County, Mississippi, at its October term, 1940, on the first day thereof before 12 o'clock M. to provide interior and paint the "Old Folks Home" with high grade paint. Two coats on outside and one coat inside. The board reserving the right to reject any and all bids. This the 14th day of September, 1940.

J. P. PRESSGROVE, Clerk  
P. O. Box 13, 20-78w.

In the Chancery Court of Grenada County, Mississippi.  
No. 5677

In the Matter of Validation of \$5,000.00 (FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS) OF GRENADA COUNTY COURT HOUSE BONDS OF GRENADA COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, issued for the purpose of enlarging and repairing the Court House of said County in conformance with the Works Progress Administration, a Federal agency, or its contract, as described in the resolution, order and proceedings of the Board of Supervisors of said County, adopted and approved at the regular September, 1940 meeting of the Board.

To the Tax Payers of Grenada County, Mississippi:

## NOTICE

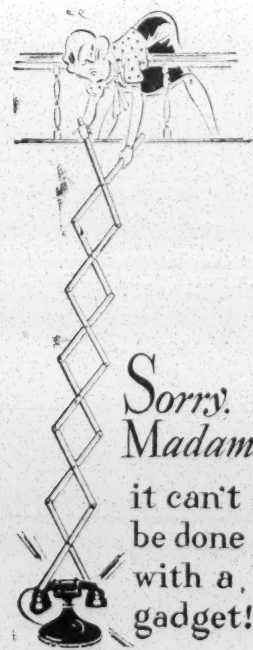
You are hereby notified that the matter of the Validation of the above mentioned Bonds will come on for hearing before the Chancery Court of the County of Grenada, Mississippi, on the 26th day of September, 1940, on or before which date, objections, if any, must be filed.

J. P. PRESSGROVE,  
Chancery Clerk of Grenada County  
(9-12-137w)

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each 6 or 8 Exposure roll  
Developed and Printed  
**25¢** Leave Your KODAK FILMS

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You can't blame the little lady for wanting to avoid a tiresome trip to the telephone. But her method's all wrong. What she should do, of course, is order an upstairs extension telephone and say good-bye forever to those wearisome, worrisome dashes down the stairs.

An extension telephone takes the run out of running the home and gives the whole family a lot of extra convenience and added protection... All for a few pennies a day.

Call the telephone office today. You'll be pleasantly surprised to learn how little an extension costs.

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INCORPORATED

## TWO YEARS OLD



MISS MARY CAROLYN MARTIN

The above little lady celebrated her second birthday Tuesday of this week. She was born September 17, 1940, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. "Reddy" Martin.

## TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF GRENADA COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI:

Pursuant to an order of the Board of Supervisors the following is published:

Whereas under the provisions of Section 5425 of the Code of 1930 of State of Mississippi the Board of Supervisors of any county of the State is authorized to appropriate funds for the eradication of Ban's disease of other contagious or infectious disease of live stock;

And whereas it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors of Grenada County, Mississippi, to cooperate with the Mississippi State Livestock Sanitary Board and the United States Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Animal Industry in eradicating Ban's disease among the cattle of Grenada County, Mississippi, and appropriate funds therefor from the General County Fund; as provided for by Section 5425 of the Code of 1930 of the State of Mississippi, and amendments thereto.

It is therefore ordered by the Board that the Clerk of the Board be and he is hereby directed to have this order published in the Grenada County Weekly, a newspaper published in Grenada County, Mississippi, for a period of 30 days, and if at the expiration of said thirty days twenty per cent or more of the qualified electors of said county petition against such expenditure of funds for said purpose, then the Board will order an election to determine whether a majority of the qualified electors of the county are in favor of such eradication of Ban's disease; and if no such petition is filed the Board of Supervisors will enter an order to proceed with such eradication in manner provided by law.

Ordered by the Board this 5th day of August, 1940.

Witness my hand this 8th day of August, 1940.

J. P. PRESSGROVE,  
Chancery Clerk  
(9-12-137w)

Stellar Ames has been marked up for another year.

Babe Ramsey, who is undergoing treatment at the Vets Hospital in Memphis, spent a week at home recently.

## PROVIDENCE NEWS

Mrs. Annie and John Tharp, from Gore Springs attended services at Providence Sunday. Also Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cohen and Miss Aileen McWhorter of Pleasant Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Brasier from Webster County were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Worsham Sunday.

Mrs. John Williams is ill at this writing. Hope she soon recovers.

Wanted: Some land upon which to store some hay. Mr. Pass Abel has more than he knows what to do with. I suggest he store some in cotton houses.

The Pastor and Mrs. Huffstatler were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Lovette Sunday.

Miss Minnie Carpenter of Grenada visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Carpenter last week-end.

Some of our young men are looking up the date of the draft enlistment preparatory to one year emergency training. Let us hope it will be for only one year.

From the radio reports, it seems that the blitzkrieg is on in London.

Planes were numerous over this section yesterday. Some reported seeing 26 pass over.

## VIEW OF THE SKY

Editor, Evening Post:

September is a very busy month; one of many changes. Vacations over, back to school, off to college, new clothes, etc. Astronomically speaking, the sun crosses the Equator on the 22nd, entering the sign of Libra (the scales), but literally in the constellation Virgo (the maiden); the air becomes clearer, the mosquitoes lessen (I hope) and the important constellations of Gemini, Taurus, Orion and Canis Major are beginning to appear earlier each night, much to our delight.

I hope the admirers of the planets have watched, with interest, Jupiter and Saturn that are less than 2 degrees apart, rising now at 8:45 p.m., and the beauty of the sky; Venus, which will have reached its greatest elongation west of the sun, Sept. 5th. This date marks the peak of Venus as a morning star.

Jupiter and Saturn will have been in conjunction three times within five months. The first time Aug. 15th, when Jupiter passed to the east of Saturn, but since both planets begin to retrograde as they approach in position to the sun there will be another conjunction when Jupiter will appear to retrace his position and move west of Saturn. Still another conjunction when this retrograde movement has ceased and each moves forward, in 1941. It will be interesting to observe the earth's big brothers antics, for the remaining months of 1940 and into the coming New Year.

Follow September's waxing moon to notice what a beautiful setting it forms between Jupiter and Saturn Sept. 20, then the waning moon, in conjunction with Regulus Sept. 28, early morning. These are along the line of the Eclipse within 10 degrees north and south.

If, for a few minutes each night, we dismiss the troubled world from our minds and lift our eyes to behold the

myriads of stars we might recall that "the heavens declare the glory of God, and the firmament sheweth His handiwork."

Yours sincerely,  
MRS. ALBERT BONELLI

## A POEM

Hand me down my  
Commodity Sack  
I am going to town  
And get my pack.

They'll give me  
Prunes.  
They'll give me  
Rice.  
They'll give me  
A spray for  
My dog's fleas.

I am going to town  
Hand me down my  
Commodity Sack,  
And get my pack.

They'll give me  
Meat.  
They'll give me  
Bread.  
They'll give me  
A coffin  
To bury my dead.

Hand me down my  
Commodity Sack  
I am going to town  
And get my pack.

When life's trials  
Have passed away:  
I hope to hear  
Saint Peter say  
"You're just in time  
For commodity day."

Hand me down my  
Commodity Sack  
I am going to town  
And get my pack.

## THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

TO: VERBEN LINDLEY.

You are hereby summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Grenada in said state on the third Monday of October A. D. 1940, to defend the suit No. 5386 in said court of Bernice Bennington Lindley, wherein you are a defendant.

This the 9th day of September, A. D. 1940.

J. P. PRESSGROVE,  
(9-12-137w) Clerk.

It must be grand to be a preacher.

Sleeps All Night  
Never Gets Up

When getting up nights, pains in back and legs, headache, puffy eyes and loss of vigor, nervousness, swollen ankles, loss of energy from a non-systemic non-organic kidney condition are worrying and making you miserable—just ask for Sen San Diuretic, sold only on the iron clad guarantee of satisfaction or money back. Get Sen San today. 50¢ and \$1.

Dyre-Kent Drug Co.

John Rufus Perry, fortunately, was still alive at press time. So was J. R. Lockett.

## LOST Squire Carver

John Weir, fat and rubicund man of leisure of Beat Two, recently got back into good standing on the subscription books.

Everything quiet South of the Border here lately.

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IN 7 DAYS  
take **666**  
LIQUID OR TABLETS

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Every time you snap a switch, you are taking advantage of a cheap, dependable, friendly service provided by a civic-minded, employing, tax-paying citizen.

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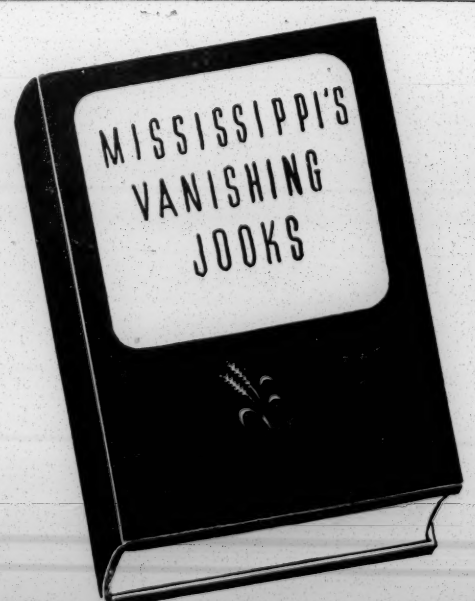
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## Local and Social Activities

Mrs. W. W. Whitaker, Society Editor, Phone 52 and 77

### FRED LICKFOLD III CELEBRATES 4TH BIRTHDAY

On Monday afternoon, September 16, Fred R. Lickfold III, popular little son of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Lickfold Jr., celebrated his fourth birthday by entertaining a large group of little friends on the lawn of his home on Line Street.

Childish games were enjoyed. The children enjoyed especially the favors made of gum drops with a tiny American flag. The hostess taught the children to sing "God Bless America" in stead of the usual "Happy Birthday to You".

Freddie received many lovely gifts.

A beautiful and large cake in white with pink decoration bore the words "Happy Birthday to Freddie" and had four lighted candles. This was served with individual cups of ice cream.

Assisting Mrs. Lickfold were: Mrs. Lickfold Sr., Miss Bird Sharp and Mrs. Bob Townes.

The following were invited to this delightful occasion:

Jacqueline Sanderson, Sambo Carothers, John McEachin, Marilyn Sidney Smith, Dorothy Liles, Diana Dubard, Almida Todd, Ann Kent, Betty Lilly, Billy Koonce, Joyce White, Donna Sharp, Walter Garner Jr., Joan Pressgrove, Lucy Stokes and Donna Whitten, Nelson and Jean Douglas, Baby Alice Brower, Mary Ben Ray, Roger Dellachide, Betty Jean Hannah, Arline Pierce, Linn Ransom, Helen Louise Kimbrough, Cas Heath III, Olive Craig, Wade and Fred Giles, Jerry Sweatland, Sidney Hill, Paula Leigh, Dorothy Long, Bobby and Drew Townes.

Miss Marie Blaylock left Friday for Moorhead Junior College to enroll for the coming school year.

Miss Adele Hoffa has returned to Grenada after a visit in the summer home of Mrs. John S. King at Cloudland, Ga. Mrs. King, her son Whitfield and Misses Juliette and Robbie Donk have returned to Memphis after spending part of the summer at Cloudland.

Mrs. B. H. Alexander, aunt of Mrs. J. B. Horn, returned to her home in Shreveport, La., on Monday of this week after an extended visit here.

Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Clanton entertained relatives, Mrs. C. P. Bradford and her mother, Mrs. Castle, of Itha Penn. this past week-end.

Tinsley Thrower, son of Rev. and Mrs. Thrower, left for Moorhead Jr. College last week to enroll as a student there.

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### DUCK HILL NEWS

By Mrs. M. S. Walker



The above picture of Gus Hayward Norwood, of Shanghai, China; his ship, the Bittern, will be sent to Manila for the winter in the near future. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Norwood and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Clatter known as "O. F." or "O. L." Taylor of Duck Hill and great nephew of Mrs. N. B. Jacks, T. Hayward and W. N. Hayward, of Grenada. They all have just cause to be proud of this young man. A subscription for the GCW is being sent him by his parents this week and we hope he will enjoy every line that is printed in this good paper.

The D. W. Aiken family of State College stopped for a short visit at the home of their aunt, Mrs. M. S. Walker, Saturday. Professor Aiken, head of the Department of Vocational Education, has been awarded a fellowship by the General Board and will work on his doctorate at Ohio State University during the 1940-41 school year. He was given leave of absence for this work.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin McKibben and handsome children "Gillie" and Carolyn, visited their parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. N. McKibben, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hill accompanied by Mrs. Louise Austin Jordan attended preaching at the Methodist Church here Sunday.

Students going to College this week were: Miss Sophia Clark, who left Sunday for Tennessee State Teachers College, Memphis; Miss Lula Sledge, Claude Caffey and Everett Moore Jr., left Monday for the University of Mississippi. These young people were outstanding in their high school work and just watch them make good in their respective colleges.

Mrs. Sam Wicker and interesting children visited her father, Mr. A. W. Moore and sister, Mrs. J. E. Partridge during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Horton visited relatives in Memphis and Brownsville from Wednesday to Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ragdale visited in Lanos Ferry, Tenn. and other places during the week.

Miss Kate Partridge after spending several days with her brother, Mr. J. E. Partridge and family returned to her home in Loati.

Mr. Henry Kahn, Mr. Charley Myles and Mr. H. A. Hendry spent one day this week looking over Parchman.

We are deeply grateful to Mrs. W. L. Hipsless for 22 magazines donated during the week. How they are being enjoyed by our readers. Anyone else having magazines or books they would like to give to the Duck Hill Library after they have finished with them, would be doing a real worthwhile act.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Thomas, with their children, from Aberdeen, visited their aunt, Mrs. Verna Mitchell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Oswalt visited relatives at Eupora Sunday.

The Methodist Woman's Missionary Society met Monday afternoon at the library with Rev. H. N. McKibben in charge. After a short devotional the officers elected for the Society of Christian Service as follows: President, Mrs. Ralph Moore; vice president, Mrs. M. S. Walker; recording and corresponding secretary, Mrs. E. A. Moore; treasurer, Mrs. F. M. McCriston; superintendent of missionary education and service, Mrs. L. M. Hamberlin; superintendent of social relative and local church activities, Mrs. A. L. Starkes; counselor of young people, Mrs. H. N. McKibben; superintendent of children's work, Mrs. T. P. Caffey.

Mrs. Barry Cannon and daughter, Poggie, returned to their home in Minter City Sunday, accompanied by Miss Olga Campbell. Mrs. Cannon had been with her mother, Mrs. S. A. Snarely and at the bedside of her grandmother, Mrs. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Jaco and daughter, Irma, of Pope, the M. P. Taylor family of Crenshaw, were Sunday guests of the J. T. Campbell family.

The Everett Hollingsworth family spent the week-end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Campbell, Sunday they with Mr. and Mrs. Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Shaw Williams visited Sardis Dam.

Three distinguished men celebrated their respective birthdays on Friday, the 13th last: George Grant, Ralph Semmes and John Pershing.

Jackson is not working Greenfield hard enough, for he runs about too much at night with Keene Huffington.

### NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND UNDER TRUST DEED

Whereas on the 1st day of May, 1940, Mrs. Hattie R. Chapman and C. C. Chapman executed a deed of trust to the Oliver-Lilly Motor Company, and C. B. Robertson was named trustee therein, said trust deed being of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Grenada County, Mississippi, in Book No. 74 at page 728; and, whereas, default has been made in the performance of the conditions of said trust deed, and the holder thereof having requested the undersigned to sell said lands conveyed under said trust deed in the manner as therein provided and as required by law:

Therefore, the undersigned, as trustee aforesaid, will, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on the 15th day of October, A. D. 1940, at the East Door of the Court House of said county, in the City of Grenada, Mississippi, offer for sale and sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash the following lands conveyed under said trust deed, to-wit:

NE 1/4 of Section 15, Township 23, Range 6, East, Grenada County, Mississippi.

The undersigned will convey only such title as is vested in him as trustee aforesaid.

Witness my hand, this 15th day of September, A. D. 1940.

C. B. ROBERTSON, Trustee

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Grenada.

In Chancery Court October Term, 1940 John Lamons and Ada Lamons Chamberlain vs.

Williams Lamons, Jr., et al.

No. 53 S2

State of Mississippi.

To William Lamons, Jr., 4346 Langley Ave., Chicago, Illinois; John Lamons, 3925 7th Ave., Apt. 7F, House 2, New York, New York; Charlie Lamons, 413 N. St. Joseph Ave., Evansville, Indiana; Elsha Lamons, 5542 Lafayette Ave., Chicago, Illinois; Mollie Lamons Anderson, 413 N. St. Joseph Ave., Evansville, Indiana; Lula Lamons Pullman, 413 N. St. Joseph Ave., Evansville, Indiana; and Rosie Lamons whose residence and address is unknown, non-residents.

You are commanded to appear before the Chancery Court of Grenada County, in said State, on the Third Monday of October, A. D. 1940, to defend the suit in said Court in the above styled cause, wherein you are defendants.

This the 15th day of September, 1940.

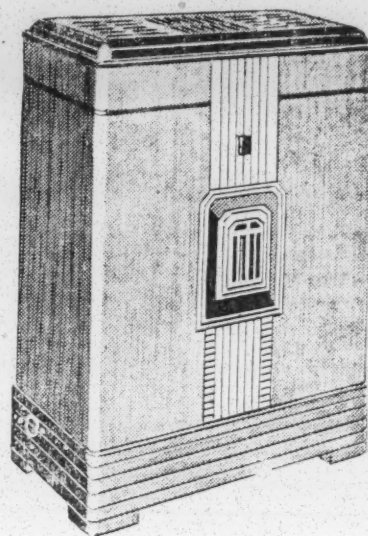
J. P. PRESSGROVE, Chancery Clerk Sol. for Complainants 9-19,26,10-3 1306

Judge Johnson has done some right commendable things here lately. He is not nearly as bad as Fred Sullens and I tried to paint him.

Sister Anthony, a new subscriber, recently paid her dues. Thanks.

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1940

## Poor Yalobusha

The Yazoo river system has four main rivers, the Coldwater, the Tallahatchie, the Yalobusha, of which, if we remember the Yalobusha furnishes about 30 per cent of the water.

A splendid dam, so large that it defies description, and so efficient that it can hold back flooded waters of the watershed, however great, has already been completed on the Tallahatchie, which, however, is in Wall Dooey's district.

A large crew of men is now engaged at the Arkabutla site on the Coldwater river and this crew is preparing to build a levee that will hold back the waters of that river which, however, is in Wall Dooey's district.

A large party of engineers is engaged now is finally locating a site for a dam on the Yalobusha river, and the probability of building a dam on that river are so great that Editor Mullin of The Oxford Eagle is already quarreling about so much of Lafayette county being used as water storage space. This river, however, is in Wall Dooey's district.

Immense areas of fine fertile land will be made susceptible to cultivation below each of these dams in Wall Dooey's district. The eroded hillsides and the worn-out level lands in the vicinity of these dams, and for many miles below these dams will provide fine farm homes for these people who, however, are consigned to Wall Dooey and Whittinton.

Oh, no, nothing has been done, or will be done on the Yalobusha which, unfortunately, is not in Wall Dooey's district.

## A Good Idea for Grenada

Purchase of the Baird property on Howard Street by the City of Greenwood has been completed, and the deed filed for record. The city purchased the lot at the request of the Chamber of Commerce, and it will be used as a parking center for out of town shoppers, as soon as plans are completed and a proposed shopping building is erected.

This was one of the main objectives of the Chamber of Commerce for this year, and the co-operation of the public-spirited City Council made it possible to carry out this plan which will prove one of the major elements in adding to Greenwood's retail trade.

The Greenwood Commonwealth. The establishment of such a facility in Grenada was long the dream of Mr. John W. Bradley, ex-alderman. Mr. Bradley worked on this a great deal. It is still a good idea.

## Interesting Paragraph

Major Sullens apparently has "promoted" our old friend, Governor "Mike" Conner.

The Major recently issued this personal column with a statement that Mississippi never had a better governor than Mike.

For a year or more the Major has been telling the world, or as much of it as reads the Jackson Evening News, that Hugh L. White was "the greatest and most popular governor Mississippi ever had."

Some of the politicians and political prophets profess to see in the Major's promotion of Mike a hint or indication that the political group for which the Major so often speaks, started "taking stock" immediately after the recent primary and are already trying to get together on some one to beat Dennis Murphy in '43.

We wouldn't go that far, and we suspect Brother Conner views his "promotion" from this source with a fishy and skeptical eye, and perhaps also with a grimace and a grin.

The fact may be, however, that this most interesting paragraph means nothing more or less than that the Major has read the senatorial election returns.

The Brandon News. We too read that startling paragraph in the Daily News. We interpreted it to mean that Editor Sullens was getting old and that he had decided to tell the whole truth for the rest of his days.

Mike Conner is no fool, far from it. He has done a good job, one that fits him "like a glove." We do not believe that he is fool enough to let Fred Sullens and that bunch who have fought him all his political life to "promote" him into another disastrous political campaign.

Mrs. Will Hayward accompanied Taylor Hayward and wife to Memphis Saturday for a few hours' stay. They were kind enough to take me along while I looked over the Vets Hospital.

The Sardis Dam, which we passed over enroute home from Memphis is just too vast to permit description. Suffice to say, it is about two and one-half miles long and too wide and tall to talk about.

Winter Rye Grass for Lawns  
French Market

If Uncle Sam would permit young men to enlist for one year, the period for which they will be conscripted, the gaps in the army would be filled without resort to the draft.

Jim Shaw's army will soon become a part of Uncle Sam's army, according to rumor. The date is not definite, but many think they will be called into service by November 15th.

## Began to Make Excuses

Then said he unto him, A certain man made a great supper, and bade many come:

And sent his servant at supper time to say to them that they were bidden, Come; for all things are now ready.

And they all with one consent began to make excuses. The first said unto him, I have bought a piece of ground, and I must needs go and see it; I pray thee have me excused.

And another said, I have bought five yoke of oxen, and I go to prove them; I pray thee have me excused.

And another said, I have married a wife, and therefore I cannot come.

—Luke: 15, 16-20

And so it is today, when Uncle Sam is fixing to call for men to fill the gaps in the army. Many have taken wives; many pray that their college education be not delayed or endangered; many that they have good jobs and that they do not want to imperil their jobs and their chances of promotion. True, all true, and all good reasons from a personal, selfish standpoint. Unfortunately, you cannot get up an army if you let each potential soldier have the final "say" as to whether he will be part of the army. "Let George do it." Let that poor peckerwood who has no job, who has no home, who has no friends or loved ones to miss him—let HIM go. But did you ever stop to think that that poor peckerwood has nothing to defend; that he has nothing to win or lose; that, so far as his personal interests are concerned, it makes little or no difference whether this is a free country or a totalitarian state? Did you ever stop to think that the fellow who has the means to go to college, the man who has a good job and a good home, has SOMETHING to defend, something at stake?

## Not Posing as an Expert, But

Not posing as a military expert at all, we do however venture the assertion that if the U.S. Army would accept volunteers for one year training the President would not have to invoke the provisions of the Conscription Bill immediately. As conditions now are, a boy who volunteers must sign up for three years service, irrespective of the nature of future emergency. Then too, such a volunteer would be liable for duty anywhere.

The draftee, on the contrary, faces only one year's service, and that service limited to U.S. possessions and to the Western Hemisphere.

Many young men fear that, if they volunteer, they will be kept in service for three years whether there is war or not. They are willing to fight for their country if needs be, but are unwilling to obligate themselves to three years loss from their business, and three years loss of opportunity, unless national and international conditions make such lengthy service imperative.

We feel sure the War Department has good reasons why these distinctions are made, and this apparent handicap placed upon the would-be volunteer, but these reasons are not apparent to us.

## National Interest Comes First

There is disquieting talk concerning "bottlenecks" in the defense program. It is obvious that the time taken in turning plans into production is dangerously long.

According to commentators, certain segments of American industry are largely at fault, refusing to go ahead and do their jobs unless and until they are assured of excessive profits, without possibility of loss. Just how accurate these charges are is not known, as the whole defense drive is enveloped in clouds of uncertainty. These clouds must be dissipated. The American people want to know and they are entitled to know just what groups are putting selfish interests ahead of the national interest. The greedy industry, no less than the greedy labor leader or the greedy politician, must be given short shrift.

There is no question about the patriotism of those basic American industries which are essential to defense—the transportation companies, the power and light companies, and the majority of all business. These industries are sacrificing profits when necessary to the end that the public good be served. But if there is a purely mercenary spirit in some industries—a spirit which thinks only of the big money, and cares not how they make it—the American people will demand stern action.

There must be profits—no man can build a plant without feeling that eventually he will earn enough to pay for it. But there is a tremendous difference between profit and profiteering, even as there is a tremendous difference between the sincere labor leader who seeks to obtain for the worker a fair return for what he does, and the labor racketeer who seeks to exploit the industries which make employment possible.

Industrialists, labor leader and officeholders who put selfish interests above national interest, are going to feel the full force of an aroused people's wrath, before this emergency is over.

With the start he has, Shortstaple Rayburn will have a pushover in 1942.

## MT. NEBO NEWS

Mrs. John Provine and children are on a visit at the home of Mr. Provine's sister, Mrs. Janie Kelly at Clarksdale.

When a piton on a RFD route is so fortunate as to have a carrier who is ever prompt, friendly and kind, they have something to be proud of. We have that here, and his name is E. R. Brown.

Dr. Siler, delivered a soul stirring sermon at Shiloh Baptist Church Sunday.

If there is a man who is always

busy on his farm, striving to make an honest living it is our door neighbor, Hardy Carter, and he is never too busy to help a neighbor who is down. When the writer of this was knocked out by a car injury last year, he came and kept fire wood cut, and did the chores, that is a kind of religion that is more precious than words. Now Mr. Carter is so afflicted that he can't work and Monday morning four of his neighbors without any warning came and are cutting and saving his hay, which reminds us of the way folks used to do and should do.

The world is in an awful state. It might profit us all to turn to Bible and read book of Ezekiel and then read Revelation and closely study both books.

About thirty airplanes passed over Sunday morning going southwest. Very likely we will see many more in the near future.

We have about decided to spend our few days vacation at Pea Ridge. Don't know a soul there unless Ira Rounsaville lives there. Don't even know the way to make a landing, but we are sure they not only have exquisite taste, but also good judgment and that we get acquainted.

Little Dave Horn, we hear, has been promoted from the Pix to the big papa theatre, Grenada Theatre. Mighty glad the boy is making good.

I guess some of you want us to dun you again about your delinquencies.

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FUND	Mills	Est. Val.	Est. Rev.	Adv.	Est. on Hand Gas Tax and Auto Privilege	Total	Prop. Rev.
General Administration 5.							
Pauper, Charities 1.							
Judicial 1	7.	5,500,000.00	\$28,500.00			\$28,500.00	\$28,500.00
Bridge Con. & Mtee.	3.	5,500,000.00	16,500.00			16,500.00	16,500.00
School	10.	277,563.00	27,756.00		36,004.00	64,360.00	64,360.00
Bond Tax	3.	5,500,000.00	16,500.00			16,500.00	13,358.45
Loan Warrant	2.	5,500,000.00	11,000.00			11,000.00	11,000.00
Special Bond	50.	5,500,000.00	2,750.00		500.00	3,250.00	3,184.00
Beat 1-2-3-4 Bond	3.	5,000,000.00	15,000.00		5,000.00	20,000.00	19,900.00
Beat 5 Bond	7.	500,000.00	3,500.00		2,000.00	5,500.00	2,511.00
Holcomb School	10.	542,701.00	5,427.00			5,427.00	5,120.40
Tie Plant School	3.50	547,435.00	1,916.00		487.00	2,403.00	2,289.00
Gore Springs School	10.	154,635.00	1,546.00		820.00	2,366.00	2,330.00
Wolfe-Hardy School	6.50	578,520.00	3,760.00		570.00	4,330.00	4,412.00
Fair Grounds School	7.50	165,192.00	1,238.00		30.00	1,268.00	1,259.00
Elliott School	10.	161,145.00	1,611.00		106.00	1,717.00	1,787.62
Brooks School	10.	32,875.00	328.75		38.10	366.85	362.30
Kirkman School	10.	82,602.00	826.00			826.00	622.07
Beat 1 Bond	4.50	3,400,000.00	15,300.00		3,000.00	17,900.00	17,900.00
Beat 3 Bond	6.	400,000.00	2,400.00		3,000.00	5,400.00	5,295.00
Beat 4 Bond	5.	450,000.00	2,250.00		2,000.00	4,250.00	4,220.00
Calvary Bond	10.	17,000.00	170.00			170.00	148.00
Graysport Bond	8.	130,000.00	1,040.00		650.00	1,690.00	1,635.00
Beat 1 Road Mtee.	1.50	3,400,000.00	5,100.00		9,000.00	14,100.00	14,100.00
Beat 2 Road Mtee.	4.	250,000.00	1,000.00		9,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00
Beat 3 Road Mtee.	2.	400,000.00	800.00		9,000.00	9,800.00	9,800.00
Beat 4 Road Mtee.	1.	450,000.00	450.00		9,000.00	9,450.00	9,000.00
Beat 5 Road Mtee.	0.	450,000.00			9,000.00	9,000.00	9,000.00
Graysport Road Mtee.	0.	130,000.00			9,000.00	9,000.00	1,900.00
Enon School	8.	36,771.00			106.00	1,060.00	460.00
Dist. 2 Loan Warrant	0.	250,000.00		294.16	1,004.00	1,004.00	1,004.00

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**My Column**  
Whyt Whitaker Jr.

The Buckeye State Shows were here last week, starting Monday and running through Saturday night. The carnival was fairly good, having two free attractions, namely a lion act and a dog act. The midway was filled with skin games and exhibited a fair variety. There was a "Hoochy Koochy" show, as usual, and was, as usual, the best attended act of the carnival. The "ladies" put on a thrilling fan dance, without the fan, according to Keene Haffington. There was a rat game, crap game, bingo game, roulette game, card game, and many other games where money was easy to surrender. All and all it was a pretty good carnival.

Mary Cain, comely editor of The Summit Sun, and ardent admirer of "Wind Baz" Wilkie, last week called the President a dictator for treating the 50 destroyers to Great Britain. Mary, as you should know, the President of the United States is also Commander and Chief of the Army and Navy. He had the authority to make this deal without asking the advice of Congress. Anyway, why should heicker around with a body of men for the mere sake of getting their approval when it was not needed?

Wonder why "Chuck" is hanging around Yates so much here lately. We don't blame him very much for Margaret's (a most attractive young lady).

Last year the Grenada Bulldogs defeated every team except one. The Grenada fans demanded a better schedule for the coming season, that is exactly what has been done. So far goodness sake don't start whining if the boys lose a game or two. With the heavy schedule it is highly possible that the local eleven will be defeated once or twice.

Virgil Barnes is mourning on his eyes keeping him out of the army. He had better forget that one for I'm going to tell the draft board about the numerous times he has hooked his glasses.

There is no chance for me to escape the draft so I don't give it much thought one way or the other. I'm physically fit; anyone can peel potatoes; I'm young enough; not married; have no children; and I'm dependent on someone!

Acknowledged nice letter and check for the Grenada "Bull" from Miss Louise McCallin who is employed at the Mississippi Power and Light Co. in Sardis. She said she could not do without it any longer. Thanks, Louise. We hope you enjoy it.

See where a fellow is going to come to Grenada and buy bound dogs. And that something a lot of people would be glad to give them to him at least their neighbor's would.

Wonder what that guy is going to do with them? Sometimes they are sold back to hunters for a ridiculous price. Some old egg smoking dog will have a pedigree a mile long in a few weeks.

The Police Editor of the Shestion Standard gives some good reasons why we should support the Democratic Party. Good logic, brother.

Under President Roosevelt more legislation beneficial to the workers of America has been enacted than in all prior history of the nation. The American worker will remember this when he goes to the polls this fall. He knows that it is to the Democratic party that credit goes for the Social Security Act, the Railroad Retirement Act, the Fair Labor Standards Act, Unemployment Compensation Act and the National Labor Relation Act—the Magna Carta of Labor. The Democratic Party has not forgotten the workers of the nation, and the workers of the nation will not forget the Democratic Party.

Hitler seems to think the English people are damn fools not surrendering their liberties to him. It will be a long time before the English capitulate—agree to Hitler's terms never!

The Republican nominee pledges himself to continue the New Deal social services, to build an invincible defense, and to put an end to spending. When he gets time he will, no doubt, answer the question, "How?"—The New Yorker.

Again the folly and viciousness of placing guns in the hands of convicts and using them as guards has been demonstrated in the escape of 36 prisoners from Arkansas' Cummins Prison. It is a system penologists have condemned since time immemorial.—Albany Gazette.

Germany and England are losing many airplane pilots in their continued raids, but the death rate falls far

## ADDITIONAL SOCIETY

### DUPLICATE CLUB

Tuesday afternoon of this week, Mrs. Ben Townes was hostess to three tables of duplicate bridge enthusiasts at her lovely home on College Blvd. The handsome anti-bellum living room was decorated with bowls of flowers gathered from the garden of the home. Non member guests to enjoy Mrs. Townes' hospitality were Mesdames Sam H. Garner, Roger Pleasants and Fisher Ottenburg.

At 4 o'clock intermission, the hostess served a delectable salad course.

High score was compiled by Mesdames Garner and Dickinson, second high by Mesdames Trusty and Ottenburg.

**LOCAL LIONS ATTEND BANQUET**  
On Thursday evening of last week, in celebration of Charter Night for Oxford Lions Club, a banquet was given at the University Cafeteria at 8 o'clock. Mr. Sam Lumpkin, of Tupelo, was the speaker of the evening. Other Lions taking part in the program were selected from over the district. Mr. J. C. Hathorn, of Grenada, had part in the program.

The members and their wives to attend this affair were the following:

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Neely, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hathorn, Mr. and Mrs. Knox Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Batson, Mrs. Ernest Penn and Miss Margaret Finney.

Messrs. Henry Ray, Jr., Nicky White, O. L. Kimbrough, Roger Burt and F. P. White.

Miss Mary Moore Mitchell, assistant librarian at Hattiesburg, has been promoted to official librarian of Hattiesburg. Congratulations.

Mrs. Myrtle Alvitz of New Orleans who has been spending several days in Grenada visiting friends and relatives, spent Monday in Memphis, accompanied by Misses Kathleen Watson and May Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Holfield of Laurel visited Miss Flora Anderson en route to their home, after a visit in Oxford with Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Anderson.

Miss Blanche Winter of Berkeley, California and Mrs. Mary Collier of Charleston are visiting Mrs. A. W. Winter this week.

Miss Ruth Kirk left this week for Louisville, Ky. to take a course in special training before assuming her duties next spring as State W. M. X. Field Secretary. She will attend Baptist Woman's Missionary Union Training School this fall and winter.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Brown, Sr., and Mrs. Roger Parks, of Louisville, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Brown, Jr., this week.

Mrs. Herbert Jordan, of Louisville, Miss., is the guest of Miss Stella Rollins this week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Eddleman are spending this week-end in Shelby with their son, Mr. E. M. Eddleman and family.

### HOLCOMB METHODIST WOMEN HOLD CHARTER MEETING

The charter meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service was held Sunday night at 7:45 o'clock at the Methodist Church. Rev. A. W. Bailey, our pastor, had charge of the first part of the service. Mrs. Bailey served as leader for the enrollment ceremony. Mrs. E. D. Holcomb was elected temporary secretary. Mrs. Richard Hobson, pianist, for the occasion. The church was decorated with beautiful fall flowers.

The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. J. A. Rice; vice-president, Mrs. A. W. Bailey; recording secretary, Mrs. E. D. Holcomb; corresponding secretary, Mrs. H. K. McMahon; treasurer, Mrs. L. T. Hayden; secretary of mission study, Mrs. Dot Hayden; secretary Christian relations, Mrs. W. D. Holman; secretary literature and publicity, Mrs. Hall; secretary of supplies, Mrs. Ed Gee; secretary of children, Mrs. Carmel Norris; secretary young women, Mrs. Jack Atkinson; local treasurer, Mrs. A. Y. McBride.

On Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock the program and installation service of the W. S. C. S. was held at the home of Mrs. Ed Gee, with sixteen members present.

Rev. Bailey had charge of the installation service. At the close of program Mrs. Wade Rice invited all to join in a fellowship hour together when a contest was enjoyed, and small "autograph albums" were given to each to see who could have all the ladies present write their names in them in the shortest length of time. Mrs. Holcomb was the winner, receiving as a reward a subscription to the "Methodist Woman." The next program meeting will be held the third Monday in the home of Mrs. Dotson Hayden.

short of equalling our automobile wreck toll.—Gloster Record.

Bryan Baker, Jr., who is at school at Mississippi State, will receive the GCW for the school year as a gift of his aunt, Mrs. Charlie Parker. Charlie is giving him the paper as a Xmas present. We wish to congratulate her upon her selection—she might have searched over the mountain of the moon and not found a more suitable one.

### THREE YEARS OLD



LILA ROSE MOORE

The above young lady will be three years old on Friday, September 20th. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Moore of Grenada.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Martin left Wednesday for a stay at Hot Springs, Ark. They will be away several weeks.

Mrs. B. A. Porter is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. O. L. Kimbrough this week.

Miss Shaddock, of Memphis, visited recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Kimbrough.

Mrs. A. W. George and her sister, Mrs. Will Caldwell, of Jackson, arrived in Grenada today (Thursday) after a stay in the mountains of North Carolina and Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Jones attended a meeting of district managers for Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Co. held at Greenville, Miss. last week-end. Mrs. Jones became ill while there and they returned home Monday. Her friends will be glad to know she is improved.

Mrs. R. W. Sharp and sister, Mrs. Jesse Weir attended the marriage of one of their relatives in Memphis last Saturday. They returned home the same day.

### OES TO MEET TUESDAY

OES, Grenada chapter, will hold its stated meeting Tuesday, September 24, at 7:30 p.m.

All members are urged to be present as this is an important meeting. OES visitors are most cordially invited.

Mrs. Cornelia Winter, W. M. Mrs. C. C. Waterman, Sec.

### Want to Buy: Multiplier Onion Sets. French Market

### GORE SPRINGS NEWS

A happy birthday dinner was celebrated in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Martin Sunday, Sept. 15. Those who celebrated their birthdays were: Miss Mabel Martin, of Greenville, Little Carolyn Martin, of Grenada, and Mrs. W. R. Martin, of Gore Springs. Those who had the pleasure of enjoying this happy day with these ladies were Mrs. M. H. James, Wayside, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Martin, Grenada, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Sulton and two children of North Carrollton, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Martin, Providence, Mr. Charles Martin, Greenville, Mr. R. L. Vanmorman, Memphis, Mrs. Buelah Vanhoover, Torrance, Mrs. Jessie Boland, Vance, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Martin, and two children and Mr. Roy Martin and five children. In the afternoon other guests joined this happy crowd.

Mr. Kelly Woods, who has been moved from this community for over 20 years, drove through Sunday and stopped along a renewal old acquaintance with several. He had his entire family.

Mrs. Mary Lou Dinley, of Calhoun City, and Mr. Oscar Williamson, of Arkansas, visited in the homes of Mr. J. C. Tharpe and Mr. G. E. Chamberlain Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Lott has been making several trips to Grenada. Her friends began to wonder what was going to happen, so Saturday she made the statement that it was school books, but upon returning home, one smile told the tale, a mouth full of pretty white teeth.

Mr. Eld Mitchell, of Slate Springs, and Mr. Frank Mitchell of Blue Mountain, spent Sunday in the homes of Mrs. Belle Trussell and Mr. J. C. Tharpe.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Parker, of Big Creek, spent Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tharpe.

Friday of last week, Mesdames Earl and J. C. Tharpe, G. E. Chamberlain and Jess Haven drove to Calhoun City to spend the day.

Mesdames Elston, J. C. and Annie Tharpe attended services at Providence Sunday and we paused here to make mention of the beautiful shrub around the church. It has been so well cared for and cultivated and all credit for this work goes to the pastor's wife, Mrs. F. Z. Huffstatter.

Mrs. Ray Cohen and baby, Glynda Lee, are spending this week in Grenada with friends and relatives.

## Welcome!

### The City Beautiful

Recent additions to the citizenship of Grenada, four of which are published each week in cooperation with the Lions Club, are:

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Evans, formerly of Louisiana, now living on Highway 51. Mr. Evans is employed at the Phillips Lumber Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chamberlain, formerly of Louisiana. Mr. Chamberlain holds a position with the Grenada Auto Co.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. French moved from our neighboring city of Water Valley, and now reside on College Boulevard. He is working for the Oliver-Lilly Motor Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Alexander migrated from Albany, Ga. and have made a nest at 612 Main. This gentleman is associated with Carlton Contracting Co.

### Bermuda Onion Sets, white and yellow French Market

### CASCILLA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly, of Phillipps, were Sunday visitors of Mrs. W. E. Donham, the mother of Mrs. Kelly.

The W. M. S. met in the hospitable home of Mrs. W. Brunson, where she so graciously entertained. A Bible quiz was given by the hostess and later on in the evening delicious refreshments were served in the dining room.

Mrs. Linn Scott, of Parkin, Ark., and Mrs. Robertson, of Wynne, Ark. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Shackelford, of Raleigh are visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Shackelford, also Mr. Joe Shackelford and wife for the week-end.

School opened here last Monday with a splendid attendance. The opening address was given by Rev. Pennybaker of Shimmer.

The Mullin reunion, an annual event was held Sunday, the 15th when the family of Mullin's with relatives and friends met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Mullin to celebrate the day. Each family carried a basket of eats and a feast was spread in the yard which everyone enjoyed.

District Attorney, Jamie Whitten and wife, of Charleston, make frequent visits to Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Whitten, the parents of Mr. Whitten.

Aint they sweet.

Clyde Horn accompanied Mrs. Marders and Jean to Jackson Monday, driving the car for them.

Mrs. E. L. Wilkins and daughter, Miss Eloise, also Mrs. Ben Brown, spent Monday in Oxford and on the campus at Ole Miss.

### Seed Oats, Rye, and Rape

### FRENCH MARKET

Mr. Cleon Proby, has assumed his duties as band instructor at Flora, Miss. He has been there several weeks attending preliminary duties.

### PROGRAM OF

## Grenada Theatre

Thursday-Friday, Sept. 18-19

### Bill of Divorcement

with Maureen O'Hara, Adolphe Menjou, Fay Bainter, and Herbert Marshall

Added attraction

### The March Of Time

showing the U. S. Navy 1940, plus Latest News 10c-30c

### Bad Man From Red Butte

with Johnny Mack Brown, Bob Baker and Fuzzy Knight

Plus chapter 8 of "Red Ryder" 7:00 and 8:30

Admission 10-30c

Owl Show Sat. at 10:30 p.m. and Sunday afternoon at 2:44 p.m.

JOHN STEINBECK'S

### Of Men And Mice

with Burgess Meredith, Betty Field and Lon Chaney Jr.

Admission 10-30c

MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, Sept. 23-24-25, Three Days

## BoomTown

with

Clark Gable--Spencer Tracy  
Claudette Colbert--Hedy Lamarr--Frank Morgan

Matinee Wednesday 3:30 p.m.  
Night shows at 7:30 p.m.

Admission, 25c plus 8c tax--total 42c. Children 15c, tax included

NOTES TAKEN AT VETERAN'S HOSPITAL (continued from front page)

From all the wars. It does not take long until you know a bunch of men, for "where are you from" is a standard question. Then, too, at the foot of each bed is tied a card giving your name, residence, and religion. I have become a Presbyterian again, tho the folks in Grenada call me a "fish" Presbyterian. A ME Vaughn, who is a brother in law of Aubrey Thompson, is here.

## FOUND

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